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FRISCO POLICE WARN RESTAURANTS OF POSSIBLE FRAUD

FRISCO, TX – Recently, several Frisco restaurants have received phone calls from an unknown person who states that they are with the City of Frisco Health Department and that they are going to be coming to the restaurant to perform an inspection. The caller states that they will need access to the kitchen and also requests that the restaurant pay a fee in advance for the inspection. During the reported incidents to police, no one has actually shown up to perform the inspection or collect money.

The City of Frisco Health and Food Safety Division does conduct unannounced inspections, but the only fees that would be charged are permit fees and re-inspection fees, when necessary.

Frisco police are concerned that unsuspecting restaurants may become a victim of fraud. If you believe that you or your business has recently become a victim of this or a similar scheme, please contact the <u>Frisco Police Department</u> at 972.292.6010 to file a police report.

For questions regarding the validity of an inspection, contact the City of Frisco Health and Food Safety Division at 972.292.5304.

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